

## Advent 1 Homework Year 2

	Activity	Must/should/could	Parent comment	Teacher comment
<p><b>Project</b> <i>Due in Monday 15<sup>th</sup> October</i></p> 	<p>This half terms homework has a <b>Science focus</b>. Our big question for this topic is '<b>Why would a meerkat not live in the North Pole?</b>' with a large focus on habitats.</p> <p>Your project could be linked to your own pets, animals you may have seen at a zoo, farm or beach! You could use photographs, magazine cuttings, drawings, paintings or posters to explain different habitats Be creative as you like!</p>	<p><b>Must:</b> Can you describe the habitat of your favourite animal?</p> <p><b>Should:</b> Can you explain which animals might live in a habitat of your choice?</p> <p><b>Could:</b> Can you compare two different habitats?</p>	<p><i>(Has your child enjoyed the work? How independent have they been? What further learning might they benefit from? Anything else you would like us to know etc.)</i></p>	
<p><b>Basic Skills - Number</b> <i>Ongoing (no written work required to be handed in)</i></p>	<p>Recall number bond facts within 20 mentally. Identify odd and even numbers. Recall 2 multiplication and division facts.</p>	<p>You could play recall games e.g. "I say 15, you say 5, <math>15 + 5 = 20</math> or <math>20 - 15 = 5</math>"</p> <p>"<math>2 \times 3</math> is ? , <math>2 \times 5</math> is ?"</p>		
<p><b>Basic skills - Shape and measure</b> <i>Ongoing (no written work required to be handed in)</i></p>	<p>Recognise and name common 2D and 3D shapes - can you spot any of these shapes around your house or when out at about?</p>			
<p><b>Basic Skills - non-negotiable spellings using phonics learnt and tricky phase words.</b> <b>Occasional tests throughout the half term / learnt spellings to be seen spelt correctly in written work</b></p>	<p>There will be a list of spellings in the back of your child's reading diary. Please spend some time learning these as there will be a spelling bee at the end of the half term.</p>			
<p><b>Reading Challenge</b></p>	<p>Write a book review of your favourite book from home. Why do you like it? Who are the characters in it? Why should your friends read it?</p>			
<p><b>Religious Education</b></p>	<p>What is your favourite scripture story? Draw a picture of the story and add a piece of the scripture to decorate it. Can you add what book and verse it is from?</p>			